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FOR ADJUSTING A SPACER



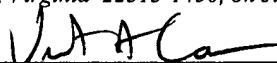
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY

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Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Notice of Allowability mailed on March 30, 2004, in connection with the above-identified U.S. patent application. The three-month period for response expires on June 30, 2004. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper, and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

AMENDMENT

Amendments to the Drawings:

Replacement Drawings are attached herewith. Amendments have been made to FIGS. 1 and 4. In FIG. 1 the text “PRIOR ART” was previously omitted, and in FIG. 4 a line from identifier 143 was previously omitted. Marked up copies of FIGS. 1 and 4 are also attached herewith.

Attachment: Replacement FIGS. 1-6
Annotated Sheets Showing Changes to FIGS. 1 and 4